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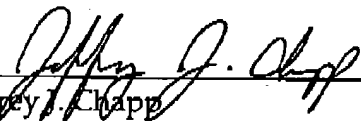
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In the Specification:

Kindly replace paragraph [0001] in the specification with the following:

[0001] The present application is a continuation-in-part (CIP) application of U. S. Patent Application No. 10/847,739, filed on May 17, 2004, entitled "Operational Ground Support System," which is incorporated by reference herein.

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